

Hampton Police Division Media Release

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Suspect Arrested in Homicide Investigation: First Block of Pacific Drive

The Hampton Police Division has arrested the suspect who was identified in connection with a homicide that occurred on September 6, 2012.

At 9:32 p.m., Hampton Police Communications received an e911 call in reference to a shooting that occurred in the first block of Pacific Drive. Upon the officer's arrival, they located the victim, **Sam Edward Small**, a 52-year-old Hampton man, inside his residence suffering from a single gunshot wound to the upper torso. The victim was transported by ambulance to a local hospital with life threatening injuries. On September 14, 2012 at 9:09 p.m., the victim died as a result of his injuries.

The investigation revealed that a verbal argument ensued inside a residence between the suspect and victim who were known to each other. During the argument the suspect brandished a handgun and shot the victim.

The suspect, **Davon Pierre Brooks**, a 23-year-old Hampton man with a last known address in the 2000 block of Victoria Boulevard was arrested on February 21, 2013 on outstanding warrants for one count of Homicide, two counts of Use of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony, one count of Aggravated Malicious Wounding and one count of Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon. He was taken into custody by Chesterfield Police Department and the U.S. Marshals Regional Fugitive Task Force in the 600 block of Cottonwood Drive, Petersburg, Virginia. He is currently incarcerated in the Hampton City Jail.



Davon Pierre Brooks

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6608.

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